IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

JOHN DOUGLAS BITTING, IV

v.

CIVIL ACTION

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JOHN KERESTES, et al.

NO. 16-578

MAR 2 0 2017 KATE BARKMAN, Clerk By Dep. Clerk

ORDER

AND NOW, this 17th day of March, 2017, upon careful and independent consideration of the pleadings and record herein, and after review of the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Thomas J. Rueter, it is hereby

ORDERED

- 1. The Report and Recommendation is **APPROVED** and **ADOPTED**.
- 2. Petitioner's Motion to Stay is **DENIED AS MOOT**.

WENDY BEETLESTONE, J.

THE COURT